LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY**, **FEBRUARY 15, 2005**, upon the application of **ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Formation**, **Reservoir A**; **the Upper Cotton Valley Formation**, **Reservoir A**; **and the Lower Cotton Valley Formation**, **Reservoir A**, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To create additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A; the Upper Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A; and the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, said units designated as follows: HOSS RA SU132, HOSS RA SU133, and Sand Units 139 through 142 for the Hosston, Upper and Lower Cotton Valley Formations, Reservoir A.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units, with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acre basis of participation.
- 3. To extend to the proposed additional units all pertinent provisions of the 798-A, 798-C and 798-B Series of Office of Conservation Orders, respectively, and all applicable Statewide Orders.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 798-A, effective February 28, 1980, and was further defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 798-A-1, effective August 18, 1982.

The Upper Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, was redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 798-C-10, effective January 22, 2002.

The Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, was redefined in Office of Conservation Order NO. 798-B-23, effective January 22, 2002.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION - 8 -<u>VERNON FIELD</u> 05-100 thru 05-102

Baton Rouge, La 1/6/05;1/11/05 S dnp

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.